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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME **under C.F.R. § 1.136(a)**

Sir:

For replying to the Office action dated **February 28, 2007** in the patent application identified above, Applicant(s) hereby request an extension of time of **one month**, from **March 28, 2007** to **April 30, 2007**, the first business day following the Saturday, April 28, 2007 date that is two calendar months from the mailing date of the Office action.

Accompanying the EFS Web submission of this paper is an authorization to charge to a credit card the \$120 fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(1) for reply within the first month.

Respectfully submitted,

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